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SAN DIEGO PUBLIC LIBRARY HOSTS SAN DIEGO BOOK ARTS EXHIBIT AND PROGRAM

Exhibit Showcases the Book as a Contemporary Art Form

SAN DIEGO – The San Diego Public Library, in conjunction with San Diego Book Arts, is featuring an exhibit of contemporary art from July 15, 2010 through August 30, 2010 in the first floor lobby at the Central Library. The display features a variety of book arts craft. From humor to urban art to paper sculpture, it is the goal of this exhibit to advance the book as a vital contemporary art form and raise the visibility of San Diego Book Arts as an educational and creative resource for the community.

A paper folding workshop will be held in conjunction with the exhibit on August 23, 2010 from 6:00 p.m. -7:00 p.m. in the second floor meeting room. Workshop participants will learn how to fold, cut, and attach colored paper flowers to a "flag book" to create a beautiful summer themed treasure to take with them. This workshop is for ages 8 and up. All supplies will be provided by San Diego Book Arts.

This workshop is limited to 20 participants and pre-registration is required. To register, please contact Pamela Sanderson at (619) 236-5847. A special "open" paper folding demonstration will take place prior to the main workshop between 5:45 p.m. and 6:00 p.m. in the first floor lobby.

Learn about other events at the San Diego Public Library's Central Library and 35 branches, find links to numerous additional resources, or search for materials in the Library's catalog online at www.sandiegolibrary.org

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